

Iron County Register

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IRONTON, MO. MAR. 3, 1887.

ST. L., I. M. & S. RY.

Schedule of Passenger Trains.

NORTH BOUND TRAINS.

TEXAS EXPRESS, No. 602, 2:55 A. M.

TEXAS EXPRESS, No. 604, 1:54 P. M.

ARCADIA ACCOMMODATION, No. 610, 4:42 A. M.

SOUTH BOUND TRAINS.

MAIL AND EXPRESS, No. 601, 12:33 P. M.

TEXAS EXPRESS, No. 603, 12:19 A. M.

ARCADIA ACCOMMODATION, No. 609, 8:32 P. M.

F. P. ADAMS, Agent.

CLOSING OF MAILS.

Mail—North daily, 1:30 P. M.

South " " " " 12:35 P. M.

Ironton to Goodwater via Sand

Bluff, Warren's Store, Edge Hill

and Goodland, Friday, 6:00 A. M.

Ironton to Elstine Silver Mines,

Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday, 1:30 P. M.

JNO. F. T. EDWARDS, P. M.

WE are authorized to announce JOHN B.

SCOTT as a candidate for School Commis-

sioner of Iron County, subject to the de-

cision of the voters at the coming election,

Tuesday, April 5th.

DIED—At Ironton, Mo., on Monday eve-

ning, at 10 o'clock, February 28th, 1887, CAT-

ARINE TETWILER, beloved wife of M. B.

Tetwiler, and sister of the editor of this pa-

per, aged 55 years and 2 months.

The funeral, from the M. E. Church, Wed-

nesday, at 9:45 A. M., was largely attended,

and the final rites impressively administered

by Rev. J. P. Marshall, of St. Louis. An obit-

uary will appear next week.

LOCAL BRIEVITIES.

Messrs. Miller, Exum and Evans had a new

new floor in Glorvorn's & Grandhomme's

saloon last week.

County Court will convene next Monday.

Ye who have business therewith will bear

this fact in mind.

Prosecuting Attorney Jordan has removed

to Ironton and now occupies the residence

recently vacated by Mr. Myers.

We had regular summer thunder and

lightning on Friday night last. There was

also considerable rainfall.

The elegant brick residence of W. T. Gay

has been completed and Mr. G. will remove

thereto at once. Dr. Patton rents the home

Mr. G. vacates.

Baldwin Bros. are putting up quite a large

and commodious paint-shop for W. T. Gay

& Co., in the lot just opposite and north of

the blacksmith shop.

The exception proves the rule. May March

1887, be the exception that more fully estab-

lishes the truth of the old saying, "In like a

lamb, out like a lion."

Rev. E. W. Dow, of Bowling Green, Mo.,

will preach at the Baptist church Ironton,

Saturday evening next, at 7:30, and Sunday,

morning and evening.

Among the old soldiers before the U. S.

Pension board at Potosi, last week, we

noticed, H. M. Bradley, Ironton, Increase,

and Richard Hill, Ironton, original.

This evening, March 2d, Mrs. T. H. Hag-

erty, of St. Louis, will deliver a lecture at

the M. E. Church, subject, "Missions." Do

not fail to hear her. Admission free.

The M. E. Church Festival at the Academy

of Music on Tuesday night of last week was

fairly well patronized and the net proceeds

amounted to something over \$40.

Miss Emma Bailey is visiting her brother

George, on Black River, in Reynolds county.

In her absence the millinery store is not

closed, but open to lady customers, as usual.

A train consisting of four coaches and

three baggage cars passed down the road

Wednesday afternoon, loaded with a party

of excursionists bound for the sunny climes

of Lower California.

On Monday eve, March 1st, Mrs. Clara

Hoffman, of the W. C. T. U., will deliver a

lecture at the M. E. Church. Every one

wishing a treat should not fail to hear Mrs.

H. Admission free.

Sunday's Reception announced that the

Tunnel Driftings.

February being a

short month and

one full day lost, as

well as three and

one-half days with

no shipping from

the shaft, there was

something near 18

thousand tons of

ore shipped from

Pilot Knob.

The incline in the shaft has a cool dozen

machines working now. I can tell you they

make some noise.

I understand that just as soon as a road-

way can be made from the shaft up through

No. 3 tunnel all going up and down on the

cages by the men will be stopped. Nothing

but ore cars hoisted and lowered.

Owing to the large seven foot pinion wheel

at the shaft breaking one day last week both

shafts were precipitated to the bottom of the

cage and so totally wrecked that they had to

be rebuilt, which was accomplished in

three days notwithstanding they had to be

made out-and-out from the rough, and ev-

erything is now in full blast.

Henry Simmerman says there is no use

talking there never was better pig iron turn-

ed out than Superintendent Watson is mak-

ing at the Pilot Knob furnace, and they are

making the quantity as well as the quality.

This is conclusive proof that the persons who

insisted that any attempt to run this furnace

without using charcoal would result in a

failure did not know it all.

Married—At the residence of J. R. High-

ley, in Pilot Knob, by Franz Dinger, J. P.,

on February 19th, Mr. Geo. Cain, of Gran-

ville, to Miss Ella Highley, of Pilot Knob.

No. 3, "the cokes," but, after all, the

"drifter" trusts their path through life may

be long and sweet!

Last Friday a special car was dropped into

the siding at Pilot Knob with eighteen stu-

dents from the Chicago Manual Training

School under the command of Prof. C. E.

Boytown. They came for the express pur-

pose of visiting the mine, but, to their dis-

may, found it impossible to get permission

to go through the tunnels—a cast-iron regu-

lation which could not be moved except by

instruction from the head office in St. Louis.

A telegram, however, was sent to O. L. Gar-

risson, and in a short time the welcome per-

mit was given by wire. After making the

tour, the visitors declared themselves amply

repaid for the whole trip, and in a short time

set their faces homeward.

The tape was stretched over the numerous

contracts last Friday for the second time in

February, at 2 P. M. by the Rev. Mr. B.

At the head of the Pilot Knob Orchestra

where I was the other night he would

have heard fiddle, reels, waltzes, etc.,

played upon an instrument of a very peculiar

style that would have made him think it was

useful to have the artist in his hand to

make it complete.

Dr. Strong went to St. Louis to visit his

family Sunday morning and returned Mon-

day evening on the accommodation.

The new holster was put in motion Tues-

day morning, March 1st, and she's a daisy!

Henry Amelung, after several days illness,

is out again.

Eddie Amelung has been seriously ill for

some time.

Married—At the Lutheran Church last

Thursday, at 2 P. M. by the Rev. Mr. B.

Schmiedel, Mr. John Brown, of Graniteville,

to Miss Ida Gockel, of Pilot Knob.

The church was filled to its utmost capac-

ity by the friends and relatives of the bride

and groom. After the ceremony was con-

cluded, the company went to the residence of

the bride's parents and partook of a most ex-

cellent dinner, served in fine style. After

that, the elder folk sang hymns while those

of more youthful spirit sought lighter but

innocent amusement. This was continued

until twelve o'clock, when the guests de-

parted, first having wished the happy cou-

Mr. Louis Miller, is having his office plaster-

ed and fixed up, and the houses are so

a demand in this town. Mr. Miller does all

that he can towards building up Arcadia,

but we are really sorry to see his business

house changed into a dwelling, as it looks as

though business were dull.

Miss Cora Wheelon will again begin teach-

ing in Pilot Knob to-day. She is the teacher of

the Catholic school of that town.

We are sorry to lose Prosecuting Attor-

ney Jordan and family as they, I hear, will

move to Ironton this week.

Mr. Barney Brewington, Brunot, was in

Arcadia last Thursday seeing his old friends.

Judge Langdon and Mr. Neal, Cotton

Plant, are here spending a few days, the

guests of Mrs. Cook.

Mr. Lum Heldbrand, postmaster of Poplar

Bluff, passed through here last Wednesday

on his way home, having been called to

Carver Creek by the death of his mother.

Mr. Thomas Davenport, conductor on the

local, will soon move his family to Bloom-

ing. After a week's visit in this place, Mrs.

Robt. Clark returned last Friday to her home

in De Soto.

An oil house was built in Arcadia last

week; this only a forerunner of our fine new

depot.

Mr. John Collins, Des Arc, is visiting re-

latives and friends in Arcadia.

Very respectfully,

Feb. 28, 1887. OLD MAID.

We will next week publish the financial

statement showing the condition of the

County School Fund and the list of warrants

issued in the past year.

A Card of Thanks.

To the numerous friends of the late Mrs.

M. B. Tetwiler, her family desires to return

heartfelt thanks for their generous acts and

kindly offices so willingly bestowed upon

in its recent terrible bereavement. Long

will they be remembered by grateful hearts.

Best Wisconsin and New York Full Cream

Cheese at Cut-Price.

A Joke on Two of the Arcadia Valley's

"School-Marks."

Several of us remember having seen a

young gentleman come through town Satur-

day last with a large string of fine ducks

which he had the good luck to capture some-

where down Stout's Creek. He was met by

the two young ladies to whom reference has

been made and a few pleasant words passed.

When they returned home one of them said

to her brother, "It will soon be time to go

fishing. We met Mr. ———— this afternoon, and

he had such a fine string of fish! They were

big ones." "Well, he bought them," said

the brother. "No! no! We met him on the

railroad bridge, and he had a fishing

pole on his shoulder." Now, the facts are

that the string of fine fish were the ducks

previously mentioned, and the fishing rod

was a double barrel shot-gun. These young

ladies have both been educated in an excel-

lent Normal School and have given careful

attention to the study of zoology and yet

were unable to distinguish a duck from a

fish! Both have received professional train-

ing to object teaching, and, of course, are ca-

pable of entertaining and instructing the lit-

tle folks on an ordinary object, still they could

not distinguish between a double barrel

shot-gun and a fishing rod! This is an ap-

parent reflection on the young ladies and

their alma mater, but when we know that

they both have bright minds and culture,

there can be no reflection on either. There

can be but one explanation to this matter,

and it is the old saying taken in its literal sense,

"love is blind." Their blindness is only par-

tial. They see as in the twilight and as they

themselves were on a fishing ("dry-land")

expedition, the whole thing is obvious. The

curious must, of course, search to find out

the objects which are causing these young

ladies to confound ducks with fish and shot-

guns with fishing rods.

FOR SALE CHEAP—A miscellaneous lot of

small fruit trees, at American Hotel.

From Bellevue.

Ed. Register—Since my last we have had

a serious time with the mud; heavy rains,

snow and sleet, followed by hard freezes, all

combined have caused the muddest roads

we have ever witnessed in this section of the

country. It is subsiding at present to some

extent, and we trust it may continue to do

so, until our roads are good once more.

Health is reasonably good in the neighbor-

hood, considering the changeable and wet

weather.

Mr. Harrison Sweeney has been quite sick

for the past seven weeks. He was better

when we last heard from him.

Mr. Otto Buford has moved into his new

home, lately built on his farm, on Reed's